

Table 1. Fatal occupational injuries by event or exposure, 2000

Washington

Event ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	75	100
Transportation incidents	33	44
Highway	20	27
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment	11	15
Moving in opposite directions, oncoming	7	9
Vehicle struck stationary object or equipment on side of road	4	5
Noncollision	5	7
Jack-knifed or overturned--no collision	5	7
Nonhighway (farm, industrial premises)	4	5
Noncollision accident	3	4
Overturned	3	4
Worker struck by vehicle, mobile equipment	5	7
Worker struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in roadway	4	5
Water vehicle	3	4
Assaults and violent acts	10	13
Homicides	5	7
Shooting	5	7
Suicide, self-inflicted injury	5	7
Contact with objects and equipment	19	25
Struck by object	11	15
Struck by falling object	9	12
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects ...	5	7
Caught in running equipment or machinery	3	4
Caught in or crushed in collapsing materials	3	4
Falls	8	11
Fall to lower level	7	9
Exposure to harmful substances or environments ..	4	5
Contact with electric current	3	4

¹ Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Manual.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with State and Federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries